



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Frederick Gruner; Nazar Zaidi; Abbas Rashid;
Mark Bryers
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Title: CROSS-BAR SWITCH

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Advisory Action mailed December 9, 2005, in which the Final Office Action was mailed on August 17, 2005, said period of response being extended from November 15, 2005 to December 15, 2005.

Our check in the amount of \$1040.00 is enclosed, which covers the required extension fee for a large entity. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 50-1778.

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